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SUBJECT: GATT ARTICLE XXVIII NEGOTIATIONS - SOUTH AFRICA

REF: GENEVA 4141

UNDER NEW AGREEMENT, SAG IS TO REDUCE DUTY ON AUTOMOBILE PARTS

AND MATERIALS FOR USE IN CONFORMITY WITH LOCAL CONTENT

REQUIREMENT TO FREE AND TO FREEZE REPEAT FREEZE PER-

CENTAGE OF REQUIRED LOCAL CONTENT AT LEVEL OF 52 PERCENT (A

LEVEL EXISTING AT TIME ITEM DISCUSSED), INSTEAD FURTHER

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INCREASING IT IN STAGES TO 66 PERCENT BY JUNE 30, 1977 IN

ACCORDANCE WITH AUTHORITY SA CUSTOMS AND EXCISE ACT
1964. NEW CONCESSION, INCLUDING FREEZE OF CONTENT
REQUIREMENT AT 52 PERCENT, TO BE INCORPORATED INTO SOUTH AFRICAN
GATT SCHEDULE XVIII AND THUS ADMINISTERED ON MFN BASIS
AND THEREFORE NOT DISCRIMINATORY. SISCO

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